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ALBERTA COAL IN GREAT DEMAND

Were a freight rate in effect permanently which would put Alberta coal on a competitive basis in Ontario, orders would be on hand at once for at least a quarter of a million tons, declared Howard Stutchbury, trade commissioner of the province, who returned from what was virtually a tour of triumph through the eastern provinces. Mr. Stutchbury was supervising the distribution of the 6000 tons of Alberta coal sent east on the special rate of \$7 a ton by the Canadian National. He visited many points in Ontario accompanied by officials of the C. M. A. and all of these points were anxious to get Alberta coal, provided a freight rate was given that would make it possible. The Ontario government, the C. M. A., the trade councils of the cities, the U. F. O. and other organizations have taken up the campaign, and are bringing pressure to bear upon the Dominion Government to bring about some solution of the problem of freight rates on the coal. A great deal of publicity has been supplied by the branch of the Alberta government in being used in the east, and Mr. Stutchbury's meetings were given widest possible publicity. He addressed as many as seven meetings a day.

SWISS EDITORS COMING

A party of seven Swiss editors are to visit the province during the coming week, in charge of officials of the C. P. R.

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Wheat Pool Progress

There seems to be a tendency towards secrecy on the part of the wheat pool committee of seven these last few days and nothing very definite is being given out. This is perhaps explainable in the fact that there is not very much definite information that can be given out for a few days yet until the Saskatchewan drive is finished, September 12th, their closing date.

In the meantime while some reports state that many farmers are now withdrawing it is also pointed out that there are more contracts coming in than there are being withdrawn. In the meantime, H. W. Woods, President of the committee and two of the members have been in Winnipeg endeavoring to further arrangements with the Bankers Association and the elevator companies. With these however they have had little success so far as they both wished to see how the Saskatchewan drive would turn out before they would do much.

According to the latest reports the Saskatchewan objective will not be closely reached as that of Alberta and this will have considerable influence on the matter. By next week a far more definite statement will probably be made one way or the other.

The Saskatchewan Pool

The Saskatchewan pool is not likely to reach its objective according to the latest estimate, and only a few hours remain for the end of the drive. The figure was more pronounced in Saskatchewan than Alberta. There is this difference between the Alberta and Saskatchewan pools. The Alberta contract provides that in case 50 per cent of the acreage is not signed up a farmer may withdraw. The Saskatchewan pool provides that the pool automatically ends.

A STORY OF SPAIN

"Blood and Sand" Gives Rudolph Valentino Big Role

A story of colorful Spain of moonights, of señoritas, of dancing and guitars—the land for passionate love-making—written by Vincente Blasco Ibanez, author of "The Four Horsemen," adapted by Jane Matthis, adapted by June Matthis, adapted by that production and directed by Fred Niblo, who directed "The Three Musketeers." Such is "Blood and Sand," starring Rudolph Valentino, which comes to the Opera House next Friday and Saturday.

A story of hot, impetuous love against a background of the most dangerous sport known to man—bull fighting. Immense scenes there are of the bull ring, the tremendous crowds, the impressive opening pageant and the charge of the bull, the cape play, the good work, the dangerous work of the devils who infuriate the bull, why dare the beast to kill them—and who often lose their lives.

The production is a distinguished one impressing in its sincerity, startling in its thrill, filled with the warmth of fine love.

AROUND THE TOWN

Mr. Bob Lubank of Edmonton is a visitor in town this week.

Mr. Klaholt is visiting with his daughter in Crossfield.

Mr. H. McKeenhead was a business visitor in Calgary this week.

Sunday School in the Presbyterian church will be held at 2 p.m. from now on in place of the present hour of 10:30.

Miss Emma Brechin of Medicine Hat has taken the position of stenographer with the law firm of Price, Mann and Austin.

Miss L. Gardiner of Calgary wishes to correct certain rumors that she has ceased her music classes here. She stated that they will be held every Saturday as usual at Mrs. G. Santos.

Mr. Bob Vogel and his sister Miss Vogel, of Los Angeles who were here on a month's holidays were suddenly called back to the U.S. on Wednesday owing to the illness of their brother.

Harvesting is keeping the farmers all tied down to the land these days and some townspeople are also going out into the fields to help take in the crop. Didsbury should turn up this year with the present bumper crop.

A meeting of the Didsbury Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Norman Clarke, on Friday, September 14th. The ladies are asked to meet at Chambers Drug store at 2 p.m. where cars will be provided.

The Mountain View Women's Institute will meet at Community Hall on Thursday, September 20th at 2:30 p.m. and all members are requested to be present as there is a lot of business on hand. The roll call is to be answered by current events.

The Rev. H. Clay writes it to be known that Church of England services are held twice monthly, the morning of the third Sunday and the afternoon of the first at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. respectively. Next service on Sunday, September 16th at 11 a.m.

Mr. MacMillan is relieving in the Accountancy of the Union Bank here. He is lately from Three Hills but before then was situated in Castors for some time. He is fairly well known around here having been closely connected with Castors sports for some time.

The Inland W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. C. R. Lescemer on Wednesday, September 5th, when about fifteen ladies were present. An interesting paper was read by Mrs. C. P. Barnes followed by a solo by Mrs. S. Lescemer. A dainty lunch was then served after which the meeting adjourned.

Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. J. Field of Calgary paid a visit to the local Chapter of Order of The Eastern Star a week ago Monday night. There was a large attendance including a goodly number from Olds. The usual annual business and explanations were gone through followed by a social hour and the usual toasts all enjoying a pleasant evening.

Mr. Wm. Leadbetter was installed as Grand Sentinel of the Grand Chapter of Alberta by the Past Grand Worthy Matron, Mrs. D. G. Olds at the meeting of the lodges.

BORN.—To Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lowrie at their home here on Tuesday, a daughter.

BORN.—At the Didsbury General Hospital on September 6th, 1923, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Jackson, a daughter.

Looking Forward

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"So, Dorothy? Oh, please, not that!" the girl panted.

"Sure, it's tight," Moran answered, a gleam of joy in his eyes. "He glared at the tremendous strength of Wade, who had brought him down in his last battle, and then thought he felt that no one lived outside the prison walls, who could beat him on an even footing."

"It's far from away from him," Wade told Dorothy. "It's the second time you've disarmed him, but it's to be the last." He never carried a gun, she said, and when he approached, she stood stock-still, and when she shivered, added:

"Toss it on the bed." He stood his rifle in a corner near the door.

"You're a fool, Wade," Moran taunted. "You've come too far to let me tie him up again. And then I'll take my will of her. But nothing he could say could add to Wade's fury, already at its coldest, most deadly point."

He answered by a jab at the big man's mouth, which Moran cleverly ducked; so he heavy man, was wounded, and picked up his gun. However, and partly on the other side of the thick mattock that he offered him, Wade's head which opened a cut all over his ear and nearly down to his chin.

Just and both across the little room they fought with little advantage either way, while Dorothy watched them breathlessly. Wade clattered the great case after coming to the floor, and then, with a roar, the two engaged rails. Both were soon bleeding from sharp cuts on the head and face, but neither was aware of the fact. Desperately they struggled

with articles of furniture, which were overturned and swept aside almost unnoticed, while Dorothy was forced to step quickly from one point to another about the room. Several times Wade told her to leave the room, but she would not go.

Finally the rambunctious superior condition began to tell upon Wade, and the agonies of pain, finding the agent's breathing became labored and his movements slower. Wade still darting about quickly and lightly, but not so nimbly as before, was pushing the brutal, loathing face before him. Time after time he drove his fists mercilessly into Moran's features until it lost the appearance of anything human and began to resemble raw meat.

But suddenly, in attempting to sidestep one of Moran's bull-like charges, the agent slipped on a pool of blood and oil left on the floor by him. Before he could regain his footing Moran seized him. Then Wade leaped more than once, but Wade's tremendous strength had won. Cruelly, implausibly those great ape-like arms entwined about the ranchman's neck until the very breath was taken from his body. Reaching to a trick he knew, he strove desperately to free himself, but all the strength in his own muscular body was powerless to break the other's hold.

Baffled by what she had done, now that it was accomplished, Dorothy stepped backward into the house doorway, her face pale as death, her heart near the door when a low moan from behind made her turn hurriedly. Wade was not dead, but he was unconscious. She hastened to him, clutching a large cry of ash she did so. To her tender gaze the hurt seemed frightening one. Drawing test he had begun again, convulsively, to find himself alone, destined to remain with him, instead of going for the help she craved; most likely she would be unable to find her mother and Barker, anyway. She crept closer, holding him as best she could and put a pillow under the ranchman's head, kissing him afterward. Then for a long interval she sat with him, holding him close.

Mrs. Purcell reached the house just as Mrs. Purcell and Barker returned with their horses and the three found the girl holding the wounded man's hand, and crying.

"Run boy!" Dorothy sobbed, dropping on his knees before the unconscious figure. "Why does this to you?"

Dorothy weeping explained, and when she told of her own part in shooting Moran the old fellow patted her approvingly on the back. "Good girl," he half-hoisted her, "but I wish that you had been here with us."

"She has had us just as we are," Dorothy said, and Barker and Dorothy went to the kitchen to get some water.

"It's all right, if it's you," he said.

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STRANGE NOW, BUT RADIO MAY DO THIS

Are you interested in radio? Do you believe it has great possibilities? If so, see what Marshall Neilan does with an idea he has put into his new First National release "Minnie," now being shown at the Opera House to worth seeing.

Neilan gives a demonstration of the suggestion that some day the radio will be used to transmit power to move railroad trains, trucks, water pumps, automobiles. He shows an elaborate radio set in a barn back of a small town hotel where the major part of the picture takes place. Minnie's father is the owner of this hotel but he pays so much attention to his radio that Minnie is the drudge, the slave of the place. But that isn't all of Minnie's troubles. She is lonely. Everybody tells her so. In seeking revenge she gets herself into a peck of trouble—erotic trouble that puts considerable humor into the picture. Miss Moore as the inquisitive, forgetful reporter adds more fun.

When Minnie's father gets the power radio working it does some wonderful stunts and shows what the results will be if the idea is ever perfected. And it may be made to work as the picture shows—by accident.

Here and There

Protection of migratory birds has been added to the duties of the Canadian Pacific Railway's constable.

Airplanes attached to the Ontario Provincial Constabulary are now equipped with radio sending apparatus so that they can keep in constant touch with the chief and other ranches.

There was an increase of sixty-three per cent in the number of immigrants to Canada during the last three months as compared with the corresponding period of last year.

Canadian Pacific agents in Britain recruited nearly two thousand men for work in the lumber fields of Western Canada and, through lack of steamship accommodation closed their doors on as many more who, attracted by the special rates, sought to enter Canada.

British Columbia's program of the Canadian Pacific Railway carried out this year will bring into operation on the prairies a larger mileage than any one year since 1914. Of the total of more than 1,000 miles, 281 miles will be ready for handling grain in the Fall, and of the balance, 115 miles will be ready for stock by the winter freeze-up.

A building has been acquired by the University of Toronto to be entirely devoted to the manufacture of insulin. This is the only factory in Canada to manufacture the curative fluid in commercial quantities and, although it is manufactured in the United States, Great Britain and Denmark, the Canadian product will be sold throughout the world.

Dawson City recently celebrated the twenty-seventh anniversary of the discovery of the Klondyke. An exhibition of Klondyke products, valuing \$15,000 in diamonds and weighing thirty pounds, potatoes as big as a man's head, pumpkins as big as watermelons, wheat, oats and barley, were exhibited. The weight of the Yukon and Suite by Suite with these ranged gold nuggets, gold dust and silver bars.

Dr. James Innes, Commissioner of Police, Detroit, and a guest at the Canadian Pacific Bungalow Camp at Timmins, says the record catch of lake trout was made in the Nipigon River this season, having weighed a fish weighing 7½ pounds. This catch was about the average, though a large number of fish have been taken from the Nipigon this season. Several years ago, and from practically the same place, Dr. W. Cook, of Port William, caught the largest lake trout ever taken which weighed fourteen and one-half pounds, and was more than two and a half feet long.

A record was established recently when one of the latest type of Canadian Pacific locomotives drew a train of 1,000 tons, new weight, weighing more than 1,100 tons from the mills of the Abitibi Pulp and Paper Company, North Bay, to Toronto, without mishap. Ordinarily, it would take two engines to be required to haul such a load for the 320 miles. After proving its worth by thisfeat the huge engine, together with an all steel train consisting of the latest model of dining cars, sleeping cars, and a baggage and compartment car, formed part of the Canadian Pacific exhibit at the National Exhibition at Toronto.

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READ THE ADS

Progressive business houses are finding the value of advertising to them is increasing week by week, business men always read the advertisements of local papers and the daily to find where they can buy to the best advantage. They also read the attractive catalogues sent out by mail order houses and are guided largely in these buying by the reading of these various publications.

The local merchant has the advantage over the other agents that are competing for custom, that he is close to the customer, and can supply the goods at the time of purchase. When he advertises he increases his advantages proportionately.

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The moral to business men is therefore: If you have an effective advertising medium available, make use of it, and to the buyer: read the ads and buy on a business basis.

BEGBEN—NICHE VALLEY

We were the recipients of excellent hay weather the last week, and our barns show that we took advantage of it.

Mr. W. Blain of Elton, has been out the past week helping the boys to harvest the green feed. It was so tall and heavy that it will take some good weather to cut it.

Mr. Joe Parcell sold his farm a few days ago, then he and his wife went to Berger leaving Helen and Gene at home. The house caught on fire and burned to the ground, destroying everything they owned in clothing and furniture. Mr. Parcell will build a new house at once.

They have the sympathy of the community.

Mrs. Chris Vester of Bergen died at her home on Saturday morning.

The funeral will take place at the schoolhouse Tuesday at 2 p.m.

Mrs. Vester was an estimable woman and leaves a husband and several small children who will take her name in the home.

Mr. Skagie John Flangs brother, in-law, arrived from Norway a few days ago. Mr. Skagie is noted as a wonderful man with the axe. He can cut more timber than an ordinary expert axeman.

Mrs. T. Hagan has again taken over the store at Stand's and will carry a large general store stock of clothing, hardware and groceries.

Dave Allen and Alex Brown are our harvesting.



A SQUARE PEG in a Round Hole

You may be slightly annoyed if you are in the wrong position and you are like a square peg in a round hole. You want a position where you fit.

This paper will try to enlighten you in many ways and a Want Ad in our classified columns will reach them.

BUFFALO HERD GROWS

So far has the Dominion government buffalo herd at Wainwright grown that it is now found necessary to slaughter 2000 heads. A contract has been given for this to an Edmonton man, and a factory for the manufacture of pemican from the buffalo meat is to be established

in Edmonton. This food is needed extensively in the north.

VOLUNTEER FOR HARVEST

Nearly 150 men students from the two normal schools in Calgary have volunteered for work in the harvest fields of the province, and have been granted leave for a month from their studies, for that purpose.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

General Change

IN

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Effective Sunday, May 20th

Times for Trains at Didsbury will be

NORTHBOUND

No. 521 lv. 3:13 a.m. daily, stops to detain passengers.
No. 525 lv. 4:01 p.m. daily.
No. 523 lv. 9:57 a.m. daily except Sunday.

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General Smuts Urges European Nations To Support Great Britain

Bloemfontein, South Africa.—An appeal in South Africa to stand in sympathy with Great Britain in her effort to save Europe from destruction was made by Premier Smuts in an address to the South African party congress here. The Premier was given an ovation upon his first public appearance after his recent independence.

The Premier urged all the nations in Europe, great and small, to rally round Britain and avert a worldwide disaster. The position today was grave beyond words, the Premier said, and if the United States saw the same peace nations suffer Great Britain, he had faith that the United States would again rush to the rescue and save the breakup of Europe, the consequences of which might well be wiped out.

In all the delegations seated together, Premier Smuts continued, there was still a possibility that France would not be damaged before it was too late. The dissolution of Germany would be a major new series thing than the fall of Russia. If Germany broke up, civilization would be put back a century or more. Whether Europe could stand the shock it would be difficult to say, as there was even a prospect of a breakup of the whole world.

"South Africa," declared Premier Smuts, "cannot cut itself from Europe because she is a small outpost with dangerous surroundings—a small outpost in a black continent—and if Europe went under we could not foresee the consequences and could not disassociate ourselves from Europe and her sisters."

Regulated Migration Is Veterans' Policy

Would Tend to Build Up British Race Within Reports

Ottawa—Official reports of the biennial conference of the British Empire Service League in London last month have just been received by the Dominion Command, Great War Veterans' Association, which is the constitutional organization of the league for Canada.

The outstanding decision was that dealing with the question of Empire migration. A resolution approved the principle of regulated immigration for land settlement within the Empire was adopted. The opinion was expressed that suitable schemes would materially assist in the establishment of industry and tend towards the solution of the unemployment problem, combined with the building up of the British race within the confines of the Empire. The league was pledged to assist regulated schemes in every way possible. The view of the league will be presented to the Imperial Conference in London in September.

Rhodes Scholar Dead
Vancouver, Israel I. Koenigsberg, B.A., prominent local barrister and British Columbia's first Rhodes scholar, died Aug. 15, doubtless pneumonia being the cause of death. He was about 40 years old.

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Fears Economic War With Britain

France Convinced Campaign Against Franc Exists in Londen

Paris—Surgeons of an economic war between France and Great Britain are met with frequently in current conversations with leading French business men engaged in trade with Great Britain and now are cropping up the press.

Large importers of woolens from Great Britain express the view that business between the two countries will necessarily decline on account of the extraordinary rise in the pound sterling and that no organized move can be made to head this result about as it was the inevitable outcome of what is declared here to be the long campaign for the depreciation of the franc.

The Matin has asked Premier Baldwin if he is not aware that his policy toward France is tending to bring about a movement in which the watchword will be, "No business with England; no purchases in England."

The balance of trade which was favorable to France until 1914 was turned by France's war needs and has since remained favorable to Great Britain. France, it is pointed out, could easily turn the balance to her favor by abstaining from purchases of British coal which she might get along without if the Ruth protection measures and measures for economy in health care financing were adopted.

They asserted the coal would be positively of the first quality, containing a minimum of foreign anthracite. They proposed to ship it east to Port William and by boat from there, thus effecting a substantial reduction in rail haulage charges.

Sir George and his associates in the conference are interested in the Dungeness mining region. The announced object of their visit to Ontario is to endeavor to interest citizens here in the western mines as a source of their winter fuel requirements.

French Business Men appeared to be convinced that a campaign against the franc really exists in London, and that it was organized by bankers in sympathy with the British Government.

Hon. Jas. Murdoch
Gives in New Task

Will Administer New Act In Respect to Trusts

Ottawa—Hon. James Minto, Minister of Labor, has been charged with the general administration of the act which provides for the investigation of combines, monopolies, trusts and mergers. It has been announced by Prime Minister King.

The act, which was passed during the last session of Parliament, confers wide powers upon the officials in charge of its administration. It provides that an investigation may be ordered upon a complaint supported by six persons, and for the appointment of a permanent registrar to conduct the preliminary probe.

Penalties which may be imposed where convictions are secured take three forms: first, the responsible parties may be prosecuted against the Criminal Code; second, any fine imposed may be levied; and third, proceedings may be taken before the exequatur court to cancel patent rights.

Cannot Build Highways

Regina—Addressing the Kiwanis Club here, Hon. J. G. Gardner, Minister of Highways, stated that lack of population density had prevented the building of modern highways.

For some time to come, he declared, the question of providing better facilities for those settled on the land must be kept to the fore and for that reason demands for the building of improved highways for the accommodation of tourists must be ignored.

Improvements For Ellis Island

London—Sir Auckland Geddes, British Ambassador to the United States, in a report on the condition of Ellis Island, makes a dozen recommendations regarding needed improvements, principally structural alterations for sanitary improvement, lighting, ventilation and the like, and better medical examination rooms.

Give your local merchants a chance. Buy at home.

WESTERN EDITORS



Ready to Compete With Coal From U.S.

Alberta Coal Men Willing to Ship to Ontario Despite High Freight

Toronto—Premier Ferguson was wailed upon by a delegation of Alberta coal men headed by Sir George Flinck, who declared they were prepared, during the coming fall and winter, to ship 100,000 tons of fuel here so as to compete successfully with United States coal, despite the high freight charges.

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French Cruiser Launched

Is First of Three on Naval Programme

Breston—The new light cruiser Duquesne of the French navy was launched here in the presence of Minister of Marine Barthélémy. Speaking at the ceremony the minister said that with a 8,000 tons displacement she would develop 100,000 horsepower, and contrasted this with the prewar battleship of 23,000 tons displacement and a maximum of only 36,000 horsepower. Her speed will be only 34 knots an hour.

She is the first of the three light cruisers forming the naval programme voted in April, 1912, to be completed. Work on the second was begun at L'Orient in January and the third will be built later.

Prince May Arrive Sept. 10

Quebec—When the Empress of France docks here on September 10 it is understood she will have as a passenger the Prince of Wales. Although no official announcement was made, it is reported that the Prince will have six trips in his party. Suite No. 4 on the liner is said to have been reserved for the Prince.

Suggested Candidates for Nobel Prize

Toronto—That Dr. F. G. Banting, discoverer of insulin for diabetes treatment, and Professor J. J. R. McLeod, of the University of Toronto, may be presented as candidates for the Nobel prize this year, has been announced at Edinburgh, where these two scientists have been attending the eleventh international congress of physiology.

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Many Miners Lose Lives

Bodies Found Mile Underground After Wyoming Mine Explosion

Kemmerer, Wyoming.—Kemmerer is in mourning for the miners 57 of whom are known to have lost their lives in the explosion at Kemmerer Coal Company Mine No. 1 at Kemmerer near here.

Throughout the day and night hundreds of relatives and friends thronged the L.O.O.F. Hall, which has been turned into a temporary morgue, and also to a local undertaking establishment, where half the bodies were being kept.

The latest official report is 27 miners dead, one missing and 27 rescued alive and unharmed.

The mine is considered one of the deepest in this section, if not in the United States. The main shaft goes down 1,000 feet to an altitude of 60 degrees to a depth of 1,000 feet, and it is on the lower levels, at about one-half underground, that most of the bodies were found.

Judge Says Seizure Of Rum Ships Legal

Foreign Vessels Smuggling Liquor Into U.S. Can Be Taken Outside Limit

New York.—Seizure of alien rum running vessels that hover outside the three-mile limit was held legal by Federal Judge Woodrough in a decision handed down in the case of the British ship Marion Mosher, seized July 27, 1912.

Bonds of the Detroit Fidelity and Surety Company, given after the seizure of the craft as a guarantee that it would proceed to its supposed destination, St. John, N.B., were declared forfeited, it being contended that although the vessel arrived at the Canadian port, she did not have her cargo, thereby violating her agreement.

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Merchant Marine May Be Utilized

Government Vessels Can Be Used to Carry Grain

Gatineau—Ten vessels of the Canadian Merchant Marine now on the Great Lakes, may be used in the grain carrying trade this season, it was announced by Hon. Geo. P. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals.

Use of the Government boats to assist in solving the grain problem will be aided by the release of American ship owners to comply with the new grain rates regulations has been under consideration. It is understood that Sir Henry Thornton will be called into consultation in the matter and should the American concern persist in their refusal to file tariffs the Government vessels will be utilized.

Asked whether the Government boats were of that type which would lead themselves to use in the grain traffic, Mr. Macleod replied that while not especially built for that purpose they could be satisfactorily employed to carry a portion of the western crop

Ireland—Ireland—Eamonn De Valera, president of the Irish republic, is held in the custody of the Free State authorities. He was arrested here as he was starting an election speech on Saturday evening and when he took his position on the platform of the market square, Free State troops threw a cordon about him.

The crowd that had gathered had given him a tumultuous reception and had just started his address in Gaeltic when a shot was fired over his head. "The soldiers are coming," simultaneously armored cars rumbled up to the platform.

The crowd, made up of men and women, fled in all directions as the soldiers fired several volleys over their heads. Many of the women fainted.

As several soldiers rushed toward the platform, De Valera was seen to sway and then to collapse. At first it was thought the republican leader had been shot, but it turned out that he had only fainted, probably in consequence of a blow he received during the stampede.

When he recovered, De Valera was assisted down the steps from the platform by troops. He waved aside a number of persons who were seeingly desirous of rescuing him and surrendered to an officer, who received him with a kindly "come along." When the first panic had subsided, the people who had been about the platform returned to the market square. Many of them hurried in sulking epithets at the troops, and for a moment the situation looked ugly. The troops, however, took things calmly, fixed their bayonets and soon restored a degree of order. Then, with a large crowd following him, De Valera was taken to the county jail. He offered no resistance.

Greeks Pay Interest On Debt

London—The Greek Government have paid to the Dominion of Canada on account, in London, \$225,000 interest on its debt to the Dominion, which is approximately \$6,000,000. The \$225,000 interest is for the first six months of this year.

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NINTH SEMIMONTHLY CROP REPORT

Issued by Department of Agriculture,
Edmonton, Alberta. Friday,
September 7, 1928.

Cutting of wheat is practically completed in the southern half of Alberta, and threshing is well started. Cutting of oats has commenced. In the northern part of the province cutting of wheat is about 50 per cent completed, the grain having been somewhat slower in ripening in these districts. Threshing will not commence in the northern part for another week or ten days. Very little of the oats crop has been cut in the north.

The weather during the past fortnight has been showery in the northern districts, causing delay in harvesting in some parts. At the present date ideal harvest weather prevails. Reports of frost in one or two districts have been received, with slight damage to grain.

Sufficient threshing has not yet been done to verify estimates of yields, but early returns from the separators appear very favorable. Grain delivered to elevators in the southern districts has been grading chiefly No. 1, with some heavy individual yields reported.

Harvest Labor

The labor department of the government has placed to date approximately 12,000 harvester in the field, and this number has been supplemented by about 1000 who did not pass through labor bureaus. The situation now is well in hand, and the bureaus are sending a number of men every day. With continuance of the fine weather, a re-distribution of harvest help will occur that will meet any shortage that might be felt.

FARM FOR SALE:—N. E. 36-31-4 W. 5 and N. W. 31-31-3 W. 5. Price \$4,600. Reasonable cash payment and balance at 6 per cent. Send offers to W. J. B. Canan, Macklin Sask 333.

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D. Sinclair,

Fruit Fruit

The fruit houses inform us that fruit prices have reached about the lowest they will be this season. They advise anyone desiring fruit to get it this week as prices may react higher instead of lower. We expect lots of fruit in this Wednesday afternoon; they will consist of Prunes Peaches Plums Crabapples Pears Cucumbers Ripe Tomatoes Green Tomatoes Pickling Onions Apples Etc. SEALERS—May be you need sealers, we have perfect seal New Gem and Kerr makes, also rubber rings to fit.

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have leased and will operate the elevator belonging to the Didsbury Mill. Mr. M. Weber of Didsbury and Mr. J. Fluery, formerly of Macleod, will handle the local business, and the Midland Grain Company, Ltd., wish to solicit the grain deliveries and can assure the farmers of highest prices, immediate settlements and fair treatment in every respect.

All Roads Built and Maintained By Government In Future In Quebec.

Premier Taschereau of Quebec, made public an interesting statement a short time ago. He was dealing with the financial position of his province. He said that the revenue of Quebec was now so buoyant and certain that in future the government would not only carry on its extensive programme of road construction, but would also maintain the roads in good condition after they were built.

He said it would no longer be necessary to ask farmers to pay taxes for road building, nor would it be necessary to ask the municipalities to spend money to keep the road up.

In addition, he declared, there was not much sense putting money into roads unless they were kept in good state of repair after they were constructed.

So the government proposed doing the whole thing, asking for neither taxes nor work from the people living along the roads.

Premier Taschereau said that this

policy was made possible because the province is now getting the revenue that formerly went to bootleggers and others.

At the same time, the government, by controlling all sale of liquor itself, had abolished the bar, had practically killed the business of bootlegging, had reduced drunkenness to a minimum, had placed beer within the reach of the poor man instead of confining the liquor to the rich, and had assured the sale of chemically pure, guaranteed liquor to those who bought it.

In other words, the method of government control and sale produced true moderation, and the revenues of the province were benefitting, instead of the illicit dealer.

That is something to think about, especially when we, in this province, ponder over the revenue tightness here, and the constant and heavy taxation—with the promise of heavier taxation unless something is done to keep it down. Advt.

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